

[HTTP://DATA4CHAN.GE/](http://data4chan.ge/) WORKSHOP IN KAMPALA ON THE 14TH AND 15TH OF JUNE 2017 (BY KINUTHIA MWANGI, MATHARE SOCIAL JUSTICE CENTRE, MSJC.)





### About The Mathare Social Justice Center (MSJC).

The centre is an initiative by young members of the community to promote social justice in Mathare. For Years, Mathare has been a place where much violence has been allowed to go on without any redress for the community. These forms of violence include, but are not limited to, land grabbing, forced evictions, police abuse of power, political impunity and other economic, social and psychological violations.

In view of this ongoing situation, a collective of young community members and social justice activists in Mathare came together to envision a centre that would promote more participatory forms of justice. In addition, in recognition of the aspirations of all Kenyans to have a government based on the essential values of justice and equality we want to ensure this for our people; we want to make sure that the new constitution is realized for everyone.



# OUR ACTIVITIES...

MSJC's Thematic campaigns.

- 1. The Campaign Against Police Abuse Of Power and Extrajudicial Killings*
- 2. Campaign for reproductive justice*
- 3. Campaign Against Land grabbing and forced evictions*
- 4. Campaign for Political Accountability*
- 5. The Art for Social Justice Campaign*
- 6. The Social media Campaign*

*All our works are based on and coordinated through*

- 7. The Participatory Action Research Campaign*



# ALL OUR WORKS ARE FOR THE REALIZATION OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND ESSENTIALLY, ADVOCACY FOR THE SOVEREIGNTY OF THE PEOPLE!



## MSJC's Thematic Dialogues;

1. *The Mathare Youth Dialogue Against Extrajudicial Killings in Bondeni*
2. *The KiaMaiko Land Grabbing and Advocacy against Extrajudicial Killings Forum*
3. *Political Accountability and Social Justice Forum in Mathare, Kosovo*
4. *The Mlango Kubwa community Dialogue on Rights of an Arrested Person and referral to the Internal Affairs Unit(KPSC).*
5. *The Ngei ward, Community Dialogue on security and Participation of the People*
6. *The Mabatini community Dialogue for Political Accountability and the oncoming 2017 General Elections.*

# THE MATHARE SOCIAL JUSTICE CENTRE (MSJC)...

CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE NORMALIZATION  
OF POLICE KILLINGS.

**POLICE KILLINGS IN KENYA**  
CHALLENGING COMMON STATISTICS

When data is hard to come by, it is difficult to present a comprehensive picture of the scale of police killings in Kenya. However, recent statistics by different NGOs and media do not give justice to the lived experiences of Kenyan people who face the horror of such killings on a daily basis. HERE IS WHY:

**1 COMMON STATISTICS 2015**

Recent statistics on police killings in Kenya are predominantly based on data gathered by organisations such as IMLU.

We welcome these important strides in documenting the wanton extra-legal measures by the Kenyan police force. However, we also aim to recognise the majority of deaths that are not captured by these statistics.

In 2015, IMLU reported 126 deaths from a police bullet.

**126 in 2015**

**2 MATHARE STATISTICS 2015**

In the same year, we verified 65 deaths as a result of police force in Mathare alone. This total is not comprehensive. It only includes the deaths we have been able to verify.

Hence, these statistics can merely give an indication of the scale of these killings in this particular locality. It does, however, raise questions about the totals represented thus far.

Mathare is only one of 158 urban settlements (ghettos) in Nairobi.

How many in other ghettos in Nairobi? How many in Mombasa and the coastal region as a whole? How many in North-Eastern Province? Kisumu? And so on...

**3 CONCLUSION**

In view of the number of deaths that are recorded at the community level, all official statistics on police killings in Kenya should not be regarded as the whole picture.

**65 in 2015**  
IN ONLY 1 OUT OF 158 GHETTOS IN NAIROBI

**Mathare Social Justice Centre**  
Social Justice Advocacy & Documentation of Rights Violations

LAUNCH OF THE REPORT ON  
POLICE KILLINGS!

**#StopNormalizationOfPoliceKillings**

MSJC invites you to a panel discussion and vigil against normalization of EJE, and Victims of Gun Violence.

**Panel Discussion**

Where: British Institute in Eastern Africa  
Laikipia Road, Kileleshwa  
When: Tuesday, 30th May, 2017  
Time: 11:00am - 1:00pm

**Vigil**

Where: MSJC Office  
Mathare (Bondeni)  
When: Thursday, 1st June, 2017  
Time: 2:00pm - 6:30pm



#803LostSouls







# THE MATHARE HUMAN RIGHTS MONITORS NETWORK

DISCUSSING THE BILL OF RIGHTS,  
CONSTITUTION OF KENYA, 2010



LIBERATORS DON'T EXIST,  
PEOPLE LIBERATE THEMSELVES...





# MSJC TEAMBUILDING AT THE MT.LONGONOT

PREVENTING THE CONFLICT OF  
TOMORROW MEANS CHANGING THE  
MIND-SET OF YOUTH TODAY. G.MACHEL



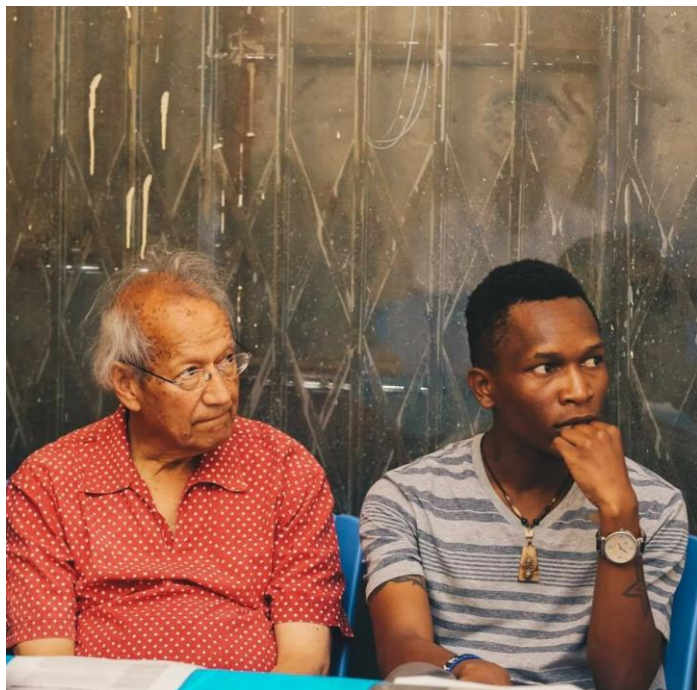
LIBERATING EDUCATION CONSISTS IN  
ACTS OF COGNITION, NOT TRANSFERALS  
OF INFORMATION. P. FREIRE

















# SOLIDARITY AND PARTNERS.

OUR PARTNERS INCLUDE ...

THE KENYA NATIONAL COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS

THE INDEPENDENT POLICING AND OVERSIGHT  
AUTHORITY

PEACE BRIGADES INTERNATIONAL

KATIBA INSTITUTE

GHETTO FOUNDATION

INUKA KENYA

FAHAMU KENYA

BUNGE LA MWANANCHI

OFFICE OF THE HIGH COMMISSIONER ON HUMAN RIGHTS,  
UN.

AMONGST OTHERS...

A VISIT FROM THE OHCHR, UN.



# MOBILIZATION FOR COMMUNITY DIALOGUES





# IN DEFENSE OF SOCIAL JUSTICE!



# SHUKRAN

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